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# **DECLARATION OF JOINT INVENTORS FOR PATENT APPLICATION**

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of Communicating Within a Wireless Communication System, the specification of which is attached hereto.

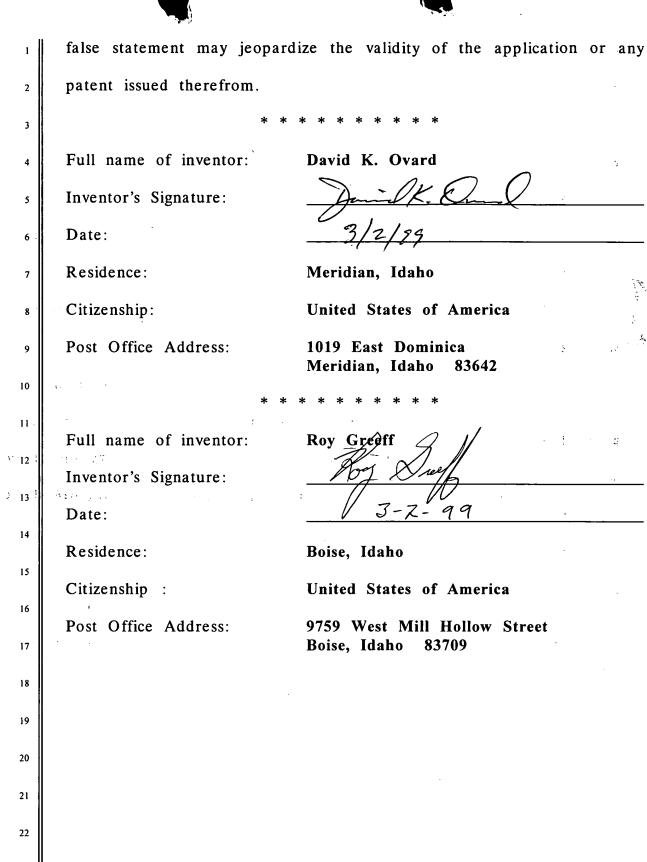
I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56.

## PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATIONS:

I hereby state that no applications for foreign patents or inventor's certificates have been filed prior to the date of execution of this declaration.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful





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Assignee Micron Communications, Inc.
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Attorney's Docket No
Title: Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of
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# POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE AND CERTIFICATE BY ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 CFR §3.73(b)

To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC., the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified patent application by assignment attached hereto, hereby appoints the attorneys and agents of the firm of WELLS, ST. JOHN, ROBERTS, GREGORY & MATKIN P.S., listed as follows:

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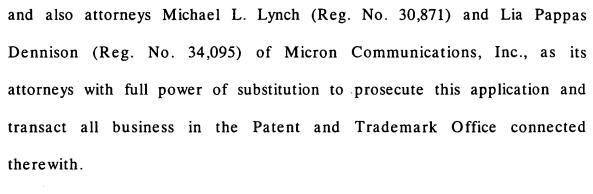
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### **ASSIGNMENT**

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# **BACKGROUND OF THIS ASSIGNMENT:**

INVENTORS have conceived certain new and useful inventions disclosed in a United States patent application titled Wireless Communication Systems, Interrogators and Methods of Communicating Within a Wireless Communication System.

MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC. desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in said inventions and with respect to any Letters Patent that may be granted with respect to the inventions in both the United States and in all foreign countries.

#### THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

In consideration of good and valuable consideration, the receipt sufficiency and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, INVENTORS hereby sell, assign and transfer to MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC. the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified application executed currently with this assignment and to any reissues, renewals,

divisions or continuations thereof, and hereby authorizes the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue such Letters Patent to MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC., for the sole use of MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC., its successors or assigns.

INVENTORS further agree to execute, at the request and expense of MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC. such other formal documents as may be required to fully convey the interest transferred herein and will similarly execute any application papers required for the filing of any division, continuation, renewal or reissue of the patent application or resulting Letters Patent; and will generally do everything necessary or desirable to obtain and enforce proper protection for the inventions assigned hereby.

INVENTORS further assign to MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC. the whole right, title and interest in the inventions disclosed in the application throughout all countries foreign to the United States. MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC. is hereby authorized to apply for patents relating to the inventions in its own name in countries where such procedure is proper; to claim the benefit of the International Convention; to file and prosecute International Applications relating to the inventions under the Patent Cooperation Treaty; and to file and prosecute applications relating to the inventions under the European Patent Convention. INVENTORS agree to execute applications relating to the inventions in those countries and under those conventions where it is necessary that the same be executed by the inventor, and to

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execute assignments of such applications and the resulting Letters Patent to MICRON COMMUNICATIONS, INC. as well as all other necessary papers in relation to such applications and Letters Patent.

INVENTORS further warrant and covenant that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been or will be made to others by the undersigned, and that the full rights to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

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Date: 3/2/99

State of Idaho County of Ada

BEFORE ME, this 2nd day of March personally appeared the above-named inventor, to me known to be the person who is described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same of his/her own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

Notary or Consular Officer

My Commission Expires: 10/21/2002

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